## Appointment

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**To**: Lauren Sullivan [lauren.sullivan@mt.gov]

Subject: FW: Kootenai watershed check-in with tribes

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From: Schmit, Ayn <Schmit.Ayn@epa.gov> Sent: Wednesday, April 15, 2020 5:11 PM

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Cc: McLaughlin, Julianne

Subject: Kootenai watershed check-in with tribes

When: Wednesday, June 17, 2020 10:00 AM-11:30 AM (UTC-07:00) Mountain Time (US & Canada).

Where: Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP)

## Proposed agenda:

- MDEQ updates on schedule and process for criteria selection/adoption + Q&A/discussion (Lauren)
- Discuss EPA's draft proposed plan for tribal consultation on MT's revised selenium standards (see attached) (Ayn)
  We are interested in any and all input on EPA's proposal or on alternate approaches, but here are some questions we'd like you to consider:
  - Does the overall goal of engaging tribal leadership early to enable their participation in criteria selection make sense?
  - Does the general process and schedule proposed make sense in light of Montana's Sept 1 goal to select Se criteria for Lake K?
  - o Is the schedule realistic given COVID restrictions and July schedules?
  - What is the right balance of joint (KTOI and CSKT) vs separate; three-way (with MDEQ) vs one on one with EPA leadership?
  - What is most important in making this consultation be as effective as possible?
- Updates (as time permits)
  - SRF review process
  - Upcoming transboundary mining discussion with DOS, GAC, ECCC, etc.
  - Castle project